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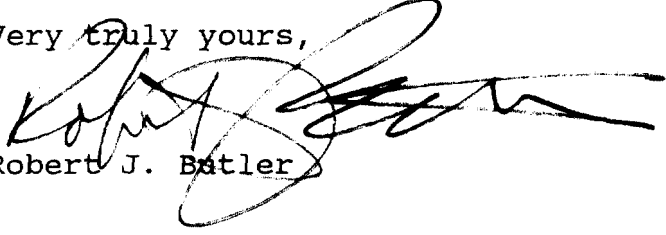
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Re: CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Mr. Caton:

Enclosed for inclusion in the record of the above-captioned docket is the attached compilation of summaries of comments. Copies of the summaries have been provided to FCC personnel involved in this proceeding. Should any question arise concerning this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,


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**SUMMARIES OF COMMENTS FILED
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FORWARD

On March 8, 1996, the FCC released its Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on the Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service. Comments were filed on April 12, 1996. These comments are briefly summarized herein, arranged alphabetically by company or organization name. Reply comments are due on May 7, 1996.

We have done our best to represent each commenter's positions accurately on a range of issues within one or two pages and in a consistent format. Due to space and time constraints, however, many supporting arguments have been truncated and rephrased to conserve space. Accordingly, in all cases, it is highly advisable to review the actual commenter's text. All summaries have page references to the actual commenter's text.

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